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The Daily Union Vedette.

THURSDAY MORNING, JUNE 7, 1866.

Our Volunteer Army.

Five years ago, the President was compelled to call upon the country for an armed force to repel treason and maintain the law. The magnitude of the struggle upon which we were about to engage was neither understood nor admitted by any party. The nation thought the whole affair would be terminated in a few months while the rebel leaders exulted in the hope of a speedy recognition of their schemes.

For many years cunning and ambitious men had labored assiduously to influence Southern men with recitals of wrongs which only had an existence in their own heated imagination, and, when the time came, to their judgment, to strike the fatal blow, they were fully confident of a speedy success.

Treason, however, found confronting it in a brief time, a noble band of patriots—the volunteer army—the citizen soldiers of America. For more than four years this army maintained the field, endured hardships, privations and often defeat—for no matter how misguided were the men of the South, they were gallant foes, and it required genuine courage to successfully cope with them on the battle field. Our volunteer army never despaired, but was always brave and hopeful, even in the hours of darkest defeat.

The God of nations smiled upon their efforts and victory crowned the banners of the Republic and preserved the integrity of our beloved land consecrated to freedom.

Scarcely one year ago, the volunteer army numbered 1,300,000 men—today it counts less than 20,000 men. Probably by next August there will not be a volunteer organization in the service of the United States.

Our volunteer army will soon be gone, leaving to history the gallant record made of its sublime patriotism and earnest discharge of duty in the hour of great national peril.

To this brave and gallant volunteer army, under the blessings of God, are we indebted for our existence as a nation. The men comprising it have abundantly proved they are worthy of the liberty won for them by our fathers of the revolution.

There were many who feared the result of discharging such an immense army—disbanding over one million of stern, resolute men, fresh from the battle-fields of the country and compelling them to seek a livelihood in civil life. But without making scarcely a ripple upon the waters of every day life, this large number of men quietly stepped from the army ranks into civil life, and are now engaged in peaceful pursuits, just as though they had never resisted the dread shock of battle.

Within a few days, regular troops will arrive at Bridger and Douglas. The volunteers now serving at those Posts will, beyond doubt, be mustered out this month, and we desire at this time to express our high appreciation of the gallant and meritorious services rendered in Utah and on the Plains, by the First Nevada Cavalry, Second California Cavalry and Third California Infantry.

These organizations have never yet failed to execute their orders and maintain a reputation for soldierly qualities not excelled by any troops they ever served with. They have been, and are now, the pride of the Pacific coast, and the mention of their names gives security to the traveler of the western plains, and held in wholesome check lawlessness and unprincipled marauding Indians. They will leave the service with a brilliant record, honorably and fairly won—and no man can say they ever showed their backs to their foes or failed to execute their orders to the very letter. May they resume in civil life the reward so richly merited by their faithful military service.

FROM THE RIVER.—A large number of Montana trains are leaving St. Joe.... Capt. John Alley, late of the regular army, is on his way to Montana with a stock of merchandise.... St. Joseph county is to issue \$400,000 in bonds to aid the St. Joseph and Denver Railroad.... Steamboat business is dull at St. Louis.... The "Sunset," a Fort Benton boat, became big and dry below Leavenworth, and is now sixty feet from the shore, but she will be got off and go on to Fort Benton.... There is a report that the upper works of a steamer passed Yankton recently.

FORREST AT SAN FRANCISCO.—The great tragedian is now playing to crowded houses at San Francisco, making his engagement a very successful one. At first such high prices were charged that he played to small audiences, indicating a failure unless the price of seats was reduced to the usual rate. The demand was complied with, and the house is filled nightly.

PEOPLES' THEATER.—On Monday evening this favorite resort was re-opened under the management of Mr. J. S. Potter, well and favorably known all over the Western country, as a talented actor and veteran manager, on which occasion Miss Bell Douglas made her first appearance in this territory, as Lucretia Borgia, in Victor Hugo's terrible drama of that name—*Messalina, Demosthenes*, etc.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 29. No later gold quotations received. Greenbacks increase at 75 & 74.

The Territories.

Mr. Ashley, of Ohio, reported back the Senate bill passed on March 14th, enlarging the State of Nevada, by including a part of Utah and Arizona.

Mr. Ashley reported an amendment providing that all possessing the rights admitted to citizens of the United States to mining claims in the territory added to Nevada shall remain as valid, subjecting claims. The amendment was agreed to.

Mr. Rice, of Maine, offered an amendment to strike out the part adding a portion of Arizona Territory.

In response to a question by Mr. Hooper, of Utah, Mr. Ashley, of Ohio, stated that the bill took from Utah one degree east and west, leaving Utah still with eighty-eight thousand square miles; instead of one hundred and six thousand square miles.

He added that, under the bill, the area of these Territories would be: Nevada, one hundred and four thousand square miles; Utah, eighty-eight thousand square miles; Arizona, one hundred and twenty-one thousand square miles; New Mexico, one hundred and twenty-one thousand square miles; Colorado, one hundred and four thousand square miles.

Mr. Hooper, of Utah, opposed the bill on the ground that the transfer of people from one government to another reduced them to mere serfs. He therefore entered his solemn protest against the bill. The people of Utah were the first to make a path from the Missouri river to the centre of the continent.

Mr. Goodwin, of Arizona, opposed that part of the bill affecting the Territory of Arizona.

Mr. Ashley, of Ohio, stated that Brigadier Young told him last summer that he had no objection to the proposed dismemberment of Utah, as there were but few, if any, of his people living in that portion of it.

Mr. Ashley, of Nevada, supported the bill. He said that the Mormons were averse to mining, and that citizens of Nevada had discovered and were working mines in Utah, and did not wish to be under the control of that territorial government.

The amendment offered by Mr. Rice was rejected, and the bill passed.—*Ex. of Pro. H. of Reps., at Washington, May 3rd.*

THEATRICAL.—MAZEPPO AT THE BROADWAY THEATER.—To announce that A. Isaacs Menken would appear at the Broadway Theater in the character of Mazepo was to announce that a woman would exhibit herself in public, the coarsest and most brutal assembly that we have ever chanced to see at a theater on Broadway. Old sports were abundant. The atmosphere fairly reeked with vulgarity. Such was the audience to whom the stalwart proportions of Miss Menken were duly exhibited. It is unnecessary to say that the spectacle was cordially applauded. To speak of Miss Menken as an actress would be to waste words. She has not the faintest idea of what acting is. She moves about the stage with no motive, and speaks in a thin, weak voice, and with bad elocution; exclaims "death!" and "vengeance!" very much as a mild and hungry female might order tea and toast; and, in short, invited critical attention, not to her emotional capabilities, her intellectual gifts, or her culture as an artist, but solely to her physical proportions. These, we may as well say, at once—to have done with a trifling topic—are, in many respects, beautiful. Miss Menken's praises as an actress have been loudly sounded; but if artistic greatness is to be acquired by such means as Miss Menken has chosen for its pursuit, there would seem to be no good reason why the majority of females extant should not acquire it, if so disposed. To be a Godiva, at least, in external attributes, require only extroversion on the part of handsome women—of whom there appears to be no dearth in any community.—*N. Y. Tribune, 14th ult.*

EXTRAVAGANCE IN NEW YORK.—The coming Spring is developing in the Central Park of New York more showy equipages than ever. The enormous accumulations of wealth by the war are displayed in expenditures the like of which is scarcely seen in any city of the world. Ladies are often seen here in social life with from \$50,000 to \$100,000 on their persons in lace, or diamonds or jewels of one kind or another. This wealth has not all come from shoddy, profiteering and the gold mines of Colorado. Montana centers her profits there. But the greatest profit is in the national banks, some of which yield from 20 to 70 per cent.

PROF. NOBEL, the inventor of nitro-glycerine, has gone to Washington to persuade Senator Conness of California, and Congressman Washburne of Indiana, who are preparing a prohibitory bill, that his invention is of great value to miners, and not so dangerous, as is often represented. A Michigan chemist says that the great difficulty in the way of the use of the compound is the fact that it can be prepared only at a low temperature, and violently decomposes under warmer conditions. A can of the stuff was discovered at St. Louis, the other day, on a boat about to start for the territories. It was in a box marked "varnish."

A LONDON letter, speaking of George Peabody, says: "His fame for benevolence has brought with it some inconveniences. At the Palace Hotel, Buckingham Gate, where I saw him a few days ago, and where he has so long resided, I learned that the postman regularly brought him about two hundred letters per day—nearly all of them being begging letters. His Secretary had the pleasant little sinecure of opening them and ascertaining their contents."

A LADY who advertises herself as an orphan, eighteen years of age, and loves the water, proposes through the Pittsburg Dispatch, to swim "in public for a reasonable sum." She says that "no doubt people will think it a wild idea," but she understands her business. "We have but a few doubts of it."

PRENTICE, of the Louisville Journal, makes a wicked lunge at the very underpinning of society. He says "filling hoopoe enable the common people to see a great deal more of good society than they saw before."

BY PACIFIC TELEGRAPH.

[SPECIAL TO THE DAILY UNION VEDETTE.]

GENERAL NEWS.

Chicago, June 2.

The latest reports from Canada of last night represent troops hurrying to the seat of war who are confident in the expectation of a decisive result to day. Col. O'Neill, the officer in command of the Fenian army now invading Canada, is the person through whose instrumentalities the Union soldiers were forced to choose between starving at Andersonville, and entering the rebel army. He was in the battle of Franklin, Tennessee, where he was twice wounded. He entered the Rebel service as Captain in the 11th Tenn. Regt., and was afterwards made Colonel.

Detroit, June 2.

All quiet, the Fenians recognize Stephens' authority, and do not sympathize in the Sweeney movement.

Buffalo, June 2.

Parties arrived from the Fenian Camp last night, say the Fenians, not having received the expected accessions to their strength and hearing of the approach of British troops, have broken up camp, burned muskets, destroyed ammunition, and left in squads, ostensibly for a raid, but generally thought ready to endeavor to get back to the United States in the shortest space of time.

Gen. Sweeny was confidently expected, but did not come. To-morrow will probably whether this is true or not.

Chicago, June 2.

The funeral obsequies of Gen. Scott at West Point, yesterday was largely attended by distinguished army and navy officers, congressional delegations, etc. The Episcopal burial service was read without address by Chaplain French and Bishop Potter, and the remains buried with suitable military honors. The day was generally observed throughout the country.

Detroit, June 2.

Details from the scene of the Fenian invasion which arrived this morning show that no collision took place last night, and no blood shed, save the rumbling shooting of Dr. Kimpton Keevil, Major at Ft. Erie, while reading the riot act.

Port Colborne, at the entrance of Welland canal was occupied last night by Canadian troops, and several hundred armed volunteers were, also, last night within short distance of Chippewa. Fenian depredations are therefore confined to a few miles radius about Ft. Erie. Volunteers are rapidly pouring forward to that neighborhood from every town on the Canadian railways.

Gen. Nipper commands all operations for defense on the Niagara frontier.

Matters in Detroit are very quiet.—Over 1,000 men are stationed at Windsor, on the opposite side of the river, and more will soon arrive.

Buffalo, June 2.

The river last evening, from Black Rock to Tonawanda, was filled with small boats carrying Fenians to Canada.

It is reported that three Fenian vessels, with a number of troops and some cannon, are at Gravelly Bay.

Niagara river was patrolled last night by the U. S. steamer Michigan and the tug Harrison and Farrier. It is understood that the patrol guns fired on and stopped several boats.

Gen. Grant passed west this morning, and telegraphed Gen. Meade to assign Gen. Barry to the command of the Niagara frontier. Gen. Barry is here.

A dispatch from Albany says that Gov. Fenton will issue a proclamation to day warning citizens against countenancing the Fenian invasion of Canada. Also, that twelve regiments of State militia are to be called out.

LATER.

Buffalo, June 2, 11 A. M.

The Fenians evacuated Ft. Erie this morning, moving towards the interior, with the reported intention of cutting the Welland Canal.

Two companies of volunteers, comprising one hundred and twenty-five men, came down from Port Colborne at half past eight o'clock, and took possession of Fort Erie, whence they sent out skirmishing parties in all directions.

PRESENT CONDITION OF THE ARMY.—Mr. Schenck, in the course of a debate on the Army bill, made an interesting statement in reference to the material of the army at the present time. He said:

What is your army now? It is an army made up largely from civil life. I have taken the trouble to have a table prepared to show how the present line officers, field and company officers, of the regiments in the regular army have been appointed. I find it is by no means a West Point army. West Point has gone further up. West Point gets for the most part the bureaus. West Point is in the departments. West Point has the general supervision of the whole. But when it comes to the line officers, field and company officers, in the several regiments, 11 of the 30 colonels, 21 are graduates of West Point, while 303 of the present army have never been at the United States Military Academy. Of the first lieutenants 5 who were not graduates of West Point, 52 are graduates from West Point and 21 are from the bureaus. Of the second lieutenants, 15 have been at West Point and 29 have never been there, there being a great many vacancies. I find in the present army, of field and company officers 1,060, and of these only 326 were graduates of the United States Military Academy, while 734 never had that advantage of military education, and have only been taught by commanding troops in the field and by such attention as they have been able to bestow on the subject.

J. WATTERS,
In Wilkins & Fenn's Wholesale Warehouse,
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Mr. W. G. HIGLEY, lately from the States, will give attention to the Watch and Clock department. All work warranted.

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The Daily Union Vedette

Local and Miscellaneous.

To ADVERTISERS.—The *Vedette* is the pioneer daily newspaper of Utah. It is immensely circulating in every mining camp and city of Montana and Idaho, to which it gives the telegraphic despatches a whole week ahead of the Pacific papers. It makes it the most advantageous medium for advertising in these four central Territories.

Mrs. TOM THUMB is again interesting.

GEN. McClellan is said to be preparing a history of his campaigns.

GEN. LEWIS CASS has rapidly improved of late, and his Detroit friends say he is now out of danger.

A "Memoir of Junius Brutus Booth," written by his daughter Asia, the wife of Mr. Clarke, the comedian, is presented to be published.

CLOSED.—The San Francisco Cheap John is closed for repairs, and will reopen on Friday or Saturday next with a new stock. Junn5-4t

A first-class top buggy—match span of beautiful carriage horses and harness for sale on splendid terms. Enquire of Captain Price, at District Headquarters. St

The West Point Academy Bill has an amendment added to it, prohibiting the admission of any cadet who has served in the rebel armies. In that shape it has passed the Senate.

AT an evening party, a very elderly lady was dancing with a young partner. A stranger approached Jerrald, who was looking on, and said—"Pray, sir, can you tell me who is the young gentleman dancing with that lady?" "One of the humane society. I should think," replied Jerrald.

ANDREW JOHNSON's old partner in the tailoring business at Greenville is still working at his trade in Tuscaloosa, Alabama, and thinks it very strange the President does not give him a lucrative appointment, especially as his wife is Mr. Johnson's own cousin.

It is reported that Wendell Phillips is preparing a defense of Probst, the murderer of the Deering family of eight persons, at Philadelphia. He probably puts it on the ground that his mental capacity is not equal to his physical.

CROWING.—The polygamous interest is crowing hugely over the suspension of the Argenta Company. Mining property in Rush Valley will not be purchased any cheaper by reason of that suspension. Owners of ledges in that vicinity know what they are about. The Argenta suspension has served a good purpose—showing the hands of the polygamists. Do not crow until you are out of the woods.

ST. LOUIS AND SAN FRANCISCO.—This morning we present the new advertisements of Chas. F. Whorf & Co., St. Louis, the well known stove dealers, who solicit the patronage of the merchants of the Territories through the columns of the *Vedette*. The firm is well known to many of our merchants as one of the best houses on the River, and we would recommend them to those who purchase in St. Louis.

We also present the advertisement of "Ward's Shirts," for sale by Geo. Ward, 323 Montgomery street, San Francisco. These goods are recognized all over the country as standard merit, and the above firm offers unusual inducements to purchasers.

CITY ADVERTISEMENTS.—We would direct attention to our new city advertisements. Oberfelder Brothers have opened a new cigar store under the Salt Lake House, at the old stand of D. G. Goff. They have made it a perfect gem of a place, and have a fine stock of cigars, tobacco, pipes, notions, etc.

Frank F. Fox has opened an ice cream saloon in connection with his popular garden, and our citizens will find it one of the most agreeable places in the city to enjoy a little recreation.

M. H. Forcutt appears with a new announcement of his popular restaurant and ice cream saloon which he has fitted up in a style creditable to any city of this size.

The law firm of Wood & Clipperton is dissolved, and Mr. Denois Wood will continue the business in his own name.

FEARFUL HAIL STORM.—About 1.30 P. M. yesterday afternoon, a very dense black cloud was observed gathering its forces just north of the city, indicating that in a few minutes we would have a heavy fall of rain. At 1.40 P. M. the cloud burst, and for fifteen minutes we experienced one of the most severe hail and rain storms ever witnessed by us anywhere. The hail that fell was as large as pigeon eggs. The horses and mules standing on the streets became almost frantic with pain and fright, and were restrained with the utmost difficulty. The hail storm soon changed to a rain shower, and the streets were fairly deluged with water. The storm lasted probably twenty minutes, and has, we fear, inflicted great damage upon the gardens throughout the city. It is hardly possible that the tender vegetables and early berry vines could have escaped great injury. Who ever witnessed such a season in the great basin? While it is working some damage, it ensures the most beautiful crops this year ever witnessed in this valley.

J. H. BRANDRETH was stabbed and killed by a Mr. Brownyard in Denver, on the 29th ult. It was claimed that the act was done in self-defense.

JEFF. DAVIS is writing a book; Gen. Lee is writing a book; ex-S. Senator Gwin is writing a book; and ex-Senator Hunter is writing a book.

P. R. ECTION.—Jesus G. Royall, who is in an Iowa jail for having five wives, has promised a black girl, who is a fellow prisoner, that he will marry her as soon as they get out.

It is expected that 3,000 Mormon immigrants will arrive at New York this spring, on the way to Utah. There are 1,000 coming from Sweden and Norway and 1,700 from England. It is said that there are nearly one hundred Mormon missionaries now in Europe.—Washington Star.

Arrivals and Departures.

PER OVERLAND STAGE LINE.
To the East.—Meggett, Wm. Johnson.

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From the West.—J. S. Wood.

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